

SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Title IV of Senate Resolution 4, agreed to by the Senate on February 4, 1977, calls for establishment of a system for a computerized schedule of all meetings and hearings of Senate committees, subcommittees, joint committees, and committees of conference. This title requires all such committees to notify the Office of the Senate Daily Digest—designated by the Rules committee—of the time, place, and purpose of the meetings, when scheduled, and any cancellations or changes in the meetings as they occur.

As an additional procedure along with the computerization of this information, the Office of the Senate Daily Digest will prepare this information for printing in the Extensions of Remarks section of the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD on Monday and Wednesday of each week.

Meetings scheduled for Thursday, June 19, 2003 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

JUNE 20

9:30 a.m.

Armed Services

To hold closed hearings to examine Iraqi reconstruction and humanitarian activities.

SR-222

JUNE 24

9:30 a.m.

Environment and Public Works

Fisheries, Wildlife, and Water Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine implementation of the National Marine Fisheries Service's 2000 Biological Opinion for listed anadromous fish regarding operation of the Federal Columbia River Power System.

SD-406

Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the cost of federal health programs by curing diabetes.

SD-342

10 a.m.

Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

To hold hearings to examine bus rapid transit and other bus service innovations.

SD-538

Energy and Natural Resources

To hold hearings to examine changes over time in the relationship between the Department of Energy and its predecessors and contractors operating DOE laboratories and sites to determine if these changes have affected the ability of scientists and engineers to respond to national missions.

SD-366

Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine controlling the cost of Federal Health Programs by curing diabetes, focusing on a case study.

SH-216

Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Samuel Der-Yeghiayan, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois, Allyson K. Duncan, of North Carolina, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fourth Circuit, Louise W. Flanagan, to

be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of North Carolina, Lonny R. Suko, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Washington, Earl Leroy Yeakel III, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Texas, and Karen P. Tandy, of Virginia, to be Administrator of Drug Enforcement, and Christopher A. Wray, of Georgia, to be an Assistant Attorney General, both of the Department of Justice.

SD-226

2:30 p.m.

Judiciary

Antitrust, Competition Policy and Consumer Rights Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine how to preserve and protect media competition in the marketplace.

SD-226

Foreign Relations

European Affairs Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine U.S. relations with respect to a changing Europe, focusing on differing views on technology issues.

SD-419

Armed Services

Personnel Subcommittee

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

Children and Families Subcommittee

To hold joint hearings to examine support for military families.

SD-106

Veterans' Affairs

To hold hearings on proposed legislation relating to VA-provided health care services, including S. 613, to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to construct, lease, or modify major medical facilities at the site of the former Fitzsimons Army Medical Center, Aurora, Colorado, S. 615, to name the Department of Veterans Affairs outpatient clinic in Horsham, Pennsylvania, as the "Victor J. Saracini Department of Veterans Affairs Outpatient Clinic", S. 1144, to name the health care facility of the Department of Veterans Affairs located at 820 South Damen Avenue in Chicago, Illinois, as the "Jesse Brown Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center", S. 1153, to amend title 38, United States Code, to permit medicare-eligible veterans to receive an out-patient medication benefit, to provide that certain veterans who receive such benefit are not otherwise eligible for medical care and services from the Department of Veterans Affairs, S. 1156, to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve and enhance the provision of long-term health care for veterans by the Department of Veterans Affairs, to enhance and improve authorities relating to the administration of personnel of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and S. 1213, to amend title 38, United States Code, to enhance the ability of the Department of Veterans Affairs to improve benefits for Filipino veterans of World War II and survivors of such veterans.

SR-418

JUNE 25

9:30 a.m.

Environment and Public Works

Fisheries, Wildlife, and Water Subcommittee

To hold oversight hearings to examine the consulting process required by Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act.

SD-406

Foreign Relations

To hold hearings to examine the implementation of African Growth and Opportunity Act (P.L. 106-200).

SD-419

Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the nomination of Joshua B. Bolten, of the District of Columbia, to be Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

SD-342

10 a.m.

Energy and Natural Resources

Business meeting to consider pending calendar business.

SD-366

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

Business meeting to consider S. 1248, to reauthorize the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, and pending nominations.

SD-430

Judiciary

To hold oversight hearings to examine the Department of Justice Inspector General's Report on the 9/11 detainees.

SD-226

2 p.m.

Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

Economic Policy Subcommittee

To hold oversight hearings to examine certain measures to strengthen the economic situation in rural America.

SD-538

Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Allyson K. Duncan, of North Carolina, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fourth Circuit, and Louise W. Flanagan, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of North Carolina.

SD-215

Foreign Relations

Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs Subcommittee

Judiciary

Constitution, Civil Rights and Property Rights Subcommittee

To hold joint hearings to examine constitutionalism, human rights, and the Rule of Law in Iraq.

SD-226

2:30 p.m.

Energy and Natural Resources

Public Lands and Forests Subcommittee

To hold oversight hearings to examine grazing programs of the Bureau of Land Management and the Forest Service, focusing on grazing permit renewal, BLM's potential changes to grazing regulations, range monitoring, drought, and other grazing issues.

SD-366

JUNE 26

9 a.m.

Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry

To hold hearings to examine H.R. 1904, to improve the capacity of the Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior to plan and conduct hazardous fuels reduction projects on National Forest System lands and Bureau of Land Management lands aimed at protecting communities, watersheds, and certain other at-risk lands from catastrophic wildfire, to enhance efforts to protect watersheds and address threats to forest and rangeland health, including catastrophic wildfire, across the landscape.

SR-328A

9:30 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Business meeting to consider S. 1218, to provide for Presidential support and

coordination of interagency ocean science programs and development and coordination of a comprehensive and integrated United States research and monitoring program, proposed legislation authorizing funds for National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, proposed legislation authorizing funds for the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, and proposed legislation authorizing funds for recreational boating safety programs.

SR-253

Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the need for Federal real property reform, focusing on deteriorating buildings and wasted opportunities.

SD-342

Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine federal real property reform.

SD-342

10:30 a.m.

Indian Affairs

Business meeting to consider pending calendar business.

SR-485

2 p.m.

Foreign Relations

To hold hearings to examine the Department of State's Office of Children's

Issues, focusing on responding to international parental abduction.

SD-106

JULY 9

10 a.m.

Indian Affairs

To hold oversight hearings to examine the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act.

SD-106

JULY 16

10 a.m.

Indian Affairs

To hold hearings to examine S. 556, to amend the Indian Health Care Improvement Act to revise and extend that Act.

SR-485

JULY 23

10 a.m.

Indian Affairs

To hold hearings to examine S. 556, to amend the Indian Health Care Improvement Act to revise and extend that Act.

SR-485

Judiciary

To hold oversight hearings to examine certain pending matters.

SD-226

JULY 30

10 a.m.

Indian Affairs

To hold hearings to examine S. 578, to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to include Indian tribes among the entities consulted with respect to activities carried out by the Secretary of Homeland Security.

SR-485

POSTPONEMENTS

JUNE 24

10 a.m.

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine proposed legislation authorizing funds for the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, Department of Health and Human Services.

SD-430